

Today's Quotation
Think what you like, say what you ought.

—French proverb

The line which I label Today's Quotation doesn't always apply to the column's contents — but it does today.

Our President has a mouth big enough to put his foot in. He must have, because that's where his foot usually is.

Last week when the country was already jittery over the government's seizure of the steel industry, Mr. Truman was unfortunately enough to hint at a press conference that circumstances might sometime justify grabbing the radio and the newspapers, too. The American Newspaper Publishers' association promptly denounced him.

And then this past Thursday Mr. Truman issued a statement saying his original statement was a lot of hooey. He said he found it difficult to imagine a situation under which seizure of the press and radio would be necessary.

I figured that's what he meant in the first place, being an average American from the free state of Missouri — but what riled American editors was that his words didn't say what he meant; and it was his words, not his meaning, that rang around the world with misrepresentation of our American republic.

But while Mr. Truman was correcting one mistake Thursday he was making a new one. He told his press conference Thursday that in 1946 he personally ran the Russians out of Iran by sending an ultimatum to Joe Stalin.

In White House reporting you use the President's words but without quotation marks. Direct quotes are reserved for prepared statements. However, Mr. Truman did actually say the word "ultimatum."

And so Friday there was another connection from the White House. "Ultimatum," you know, is a shooting word. "Ultimatum" is what you send a foreigner one day and if he doesn't like it you wake up the next day and find yourself at war. It's what the President said on Thursday, but on Friday the White House staff said it wasn't what he meant.

His secretaries explained Mr. Truman "was speaking in non-technical terms and did not mean this word 'ultimatum' in the usual diplomatic sense."

It all boiled down to the fact that in 1946 our government did actually send a note to Russia regarding Iran, and shortly afterward the Russian troops did get out of that country.

But it wasn't an "ultimatum" — and Uncle Joe Stalin's scissorsmen clipping the item out of papers around the world must have gotten a big bang out of it... their second laugh on America in a week.

The foregoing is a matter of public record involving the particular personality now in the White House, and whoever is in the White House speaks authoritatively for America to the world — even though the world is continually puzzled by things said today and retracted tomorrow.

If it isn't alarming to Americans themselves it's because this sort of thing drives home to us the wisdom of our ancestors in designing our particular form of government. America's top authority is not the President but the Constitution. Englishmen, both civil and military, swear allegiance to the person of the king — but Americans, both civil and military, swear to uphold the Constitution.

Wherefore on occasion a man may make us ridiculous but his mere words don't bind our actions. We are humiliated, perhaps, but a lucky people nevertheless.

Costello Again Before Jury

New York, April 26 (AP) — Gambler Frank Costello has made a brief appearance before a federal grand jury probing "possible irregularities" in the two juries at his contempt of the Senate trials.

U. S. Attorney Miles J. Lane said Costello went before the grand jury for "five or 10 minutes" yesterday. Lane did not disclose further details.

The grand jury, a special rackety panel, has been looking into the two Costello trial juries since April 14.

In January, Costello came to trial on charges of taking at the U. S. Senate Crime Committee hearings here. The jury deadlocked at 11 to 1 for conviction. He was found guilty at his second trial earlier this month after the court replaced two jurors in a last-minute shake-up.

Costello, 61, was sentenced to 18 months and a \$5,000 fine. He is free in \$5,000 bail pending trial.

Lane said the grand jury yesterday also questioned the hold-out juror of the first trial and the two discharged jurors of the second.

UN Planning Bold Move to Break Deadlock

Munsan, Korea, April 26 (AP) — The U. N. Command today was reported planning a new and possibly bold move to break the Korean truce talk stalemate as the Communists agreed to a full dress meeting of armistice delegations Sunday.

There was no indication what the Allies will propose when the five-man delegations of admirals and generals meet at 11 a. m. Sunday (9 p. m. EST Saturday). It will be the first plenary session since Feb. 19.

The U. N. called for the session after the Reds Friday broke off secret talks on how to exchange prisoners of war because the Allies said fewer than half the prisoners they hold want to go home.

The Communists said Saturday they would attend the full dress meeting, but asked what the U. N. Command wanted to discuss. They were told the subject would be the "armistice agreement."

Brig. Gen. William P. Nuckolls, official U. N. spokesman, said this was the only answer the Communists would get.

The top negotiators will face three major stumbling blocks to a Korean truce: (1) the dispute over whether prisoners should be allowed to choose whether they will return home; (2) an Allied demand for a ban on airfield construction during an armistice; and (3) Communist nomination of Russia as a neutral inspector.

The Communists agreed to the plenary session 30 minutes before staff officers working on plans for supervising a truce held a brief and fruitless meeting.

They made no headway during the six-minute session toward breaking the Russian and airfield deadlocks.

The staff officers will decide after Sunday's plenary session when they will meet again.

Prisoner exchange talks were recessed indefinitely Friday after the Allies said fewer than 70,000 of about 109,000 prisoners of war and civilian internees want to return to Communist-held territory.

The Reds had indicated they would not insist that all Allied-held prisoners be returned if they got back about 118,000.

Hopeful Oil Strike Can Be Averted

New York, April 26 (AP) — A federal mediator threatened today a 100,000-oil workers can be averted before a Tuesday midnight deadline.

The spokesman, who asked not to be identified, said the Federal Conciliation Service is giving "priority" to about 23 separate mediation efforts in various parts of the country.

Involved in the wage dispute are oil field, pipeline and refinery workers employed by Sinclair, Gulf, Texas, Cities Service, Shell, Standard of Indiana, Standard of California and other oil companies.

CIO, AFL and Independent unions are involved, with the CIO Oil Workers International Union apparently the key labor force.

The wage boost of 25 cents an hour and improved shift differentials are sought by the men. Present wages reportedly average between \$2 and \$2.10 an hour.

Christian Church Members to Hear R. Weisenberger

Royce Weisenberger will be the guest speaker at the First Christian Church Sunday evening, April 27, at 7:30. He will fill the pulpit at the evening service in the absence of the minister who will be attending the State Convention in Van Buren.

Mr. Weisenberger has chosen for his subject, "Can the Christian Laymen Save America?" and this promises to be something that every Christian should be interested in. The public is invited to this service.

Prescott Officer Gets Bronze Star

With the US 45th Infantry Division in Korea — Second Lt. Dale Woodson Jr., whose parents live at Prescott, has been awarded the Bronze Star for gallantry in action while serving with Co. F, 27th Infantry Regiment, 45th Division in Korea.

Lt. Woodson won the Bronze Star for heroism while leading two squads of his platoon in an action against the Communists on February 26. The group was assaulting a heavily fortified enemy ridge when it was halted by deadly machine gun and small arms fire from well concealed Chinese positions.



JUST WORRIED — Drive-in movie posts a flood situation sign and closes for the duration. Like the rest of lowlying Riverside, Missouri, the drive-in is under several feet of water but hopes to be back in business soon. (NEA Telephoto)

Students of Yerger Attend State Meeting

On Thursday, James Aubrey, George Allen, McDowell Holmes, J. F. McFadden, L. J. Ross, Burns Black, James Tys, Phoebe Bradley, Claude Phillips and Melvin Weston, all students of the Yerger Trade and Industry classes, along with their instructor G. K. Coleman and Will V. Rutherford, Principal, attended the annual State Convention of the New Tradesmen of Arkansas, which was held at A. M. & N. College, Pine Bluff, M. C. Jeffers of Forest City, presided over the general session.

Greetings were extended by M. A. Blakely, acting director, division of mechanical arts, A. M. & N. College, and the main address was delivered by Dr. Monroeur, assistant supervisor of trades and industry, state department of education.

Approximately 125 students attended, representing the trade departments of schools in Pine Bluff, Forest City, Camden, Hot Springs, Warren, Helena, El Dorado, Fort Smith, Wynne, North Little Rock, and Hope.

Cleophas Walker of Lincoln High School, Forest City, was elected president of the association for the year. Willie Mitchell of Wynne, vice president. Aephus Peoples of Forest City, secretary-treasurer. Willie Langley of Camden, assistant secretary and Eugene Bates of Fort Smith, reporter.

Five contests in various trades were held in which 79 boys competed. In all contests the interest ran high and the competition was keen. The contestants were judged on their accuracy, neatness and handling of tools.

George Allen of Hope won first place with Marion McGhee of Forest City winning second in the painting contest which required the painting of a window sash.

In the masonry contest based on the building of an 8 inch return corner with common bond, James Aubrey of Hope won first place and Thompson Lowe of Wynne placed second.

First place in the raftier cutting and framing of a roof with common rafters for a house size 4' x 6' was won by C. Clay of North Little Rock and second place by McDowell Holmes of Hope.

Students from Hope did not compete in the auto mechanics and electricity contests.

The first place winners were awarded trophies and were given a trip to the regional meeting which will be held in Savannah, Ga., May 5. The instructors of the winners will accompany them. The second place winners received engraved plaques.

Frank Keel, a member of the Senior class and holder of the \$480 scholarship awarded him at the convention last year as first place winner in the carpentry and painting contest, accompanied the group. He plans using the scholarship when he enrolls in the trades department at A. M. & N. this summer.

Roundup Clubs Gather Here on Sunday

Several hundred riders, members of various Roundup Clubs from this section, will be here Sunday at the Coliseum for the first annual convention.

Following luncheon at noon the meeting is open to the public and will furnish plenty of entertainment including Texarkana's famed Quadrille. Alice Lile, a Hope native, rides with the group.

It was also announced that an old time church wagon would be available for the youngsters to ride throughout the afternoon.

Clyde Byrd, State Livestock Show manager will be present.

In 1800, every large European country, including Spain and Turkey, had a larger population than the United States.

Army Waste Assailed by Douglas

Philadelphia, April 26 (AP) — Sen. Paul Douglas (D-Ill.) says that Army "specifications for ping pong balls" requires 5 1/2 closely-typed pages.

He said so last night in charging that "over-specification" is one example of "waste" by the military.

"The military are the greatest wasters of manpower and materials we have," Douglas told the American Philosophical Society in a speech calling for economies in various departments of government.

Douglas hit hardest at the Army, asserting that "the Marine Corps is able to get 20 per cent more firepower for the same number of men than the Army."

Referring to the ping-pong ball and other specifications, he said: "Think of the time spent in the Pentagon by the generals, the colonels, the captains and others preparing these specifications."

Charging that various government departments are over-staffed, —especially the departments of Agriculture, of State and the Veterans Administration — Douglas said that the VA has 32,000 employees working on insurance functions "whereas insurance experts say 2,000 would be sufficient."

"But this VA is the 'sacred cow' protected by the American Legion and the Veterans of Foreign Wars," he said, adding: "Sometimes I think the American Legion exists to protect the personnel of the Veterans Administration."

Insurance Men Name New Head

Hot Springs, April 26 (AP) — The new president of the Arkansas Association of Mutual Insurance Agents is Harold Lewis of Clarksville.

Other officers elected yesterday at the closing session of the group's 2-day meeting here are: C. W. Jameson of Ft. Smith, first vice president; Bill Walton of Arkadelphia, second vice president; and W. D. Roddy of Warren, secretary-treasurer.

War Is Just Like Matrimony Whatever and Whoever It Touches Undergoes Changes

By HAL BOYLE
New York, April 26 (AP) — War is like matrimony. Whoever it touches it changes.

Many who go through a war emerge from it with nothing but a feeling of resentment for the time it has taken out of their lives or the way it has frustrated their personal plans.

War teaches others how to appreciate the deeper joys of living. That is an odd by-product of the business of killing.

The most immoral thing about war is its waste. And I think that in time this is what you get to hate most about it — the waste of money and metal. Everything about war is wasteful by necessity and this fact weighs upon a man more and more. It is a violation against natural economy, the inherent urge in everybody to conserve.

In war you see so many things tossed away needlessly that it is hard ever afterward for you to throw anything away yourself. You become not so much a miser as a string-saver.

Most Americans take their food, clothing and shelter pretty much for granted. War teaches you how basic these things really are and to be properly grateful for them.

When you have shivered in a cold foxhole a few nights, the chance to sleep in a warm bed seems a blessing almost too wonderful to stand.

But while war gives you a real understanding of primary essentials it also removes a lot of so-called

Woman Forgery Suspect Is Arrested Here

Police yesterday arrested a Emmet St. 2 woman, Mrs. Ruth Roachman as an alleged suspect in connection with forged checks which have been passed in Hope the past few weeks.

Some \$183 worth of checks are now in possession of officers and some more are out. All were forged in the name of W. C. Bremer of Hope and Joe Benty of Emmet.

Police Chief Clarence Baker said: "The woman was in process of paying for groceries with one of the checks when police were notified."

Ike Asks to Air Issues of Campaign

Washington, April 26 (AP) — Sen. Dickinson (R-Ill.) called on Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower today to be "reasonably specific" in discussing presidential campaign issues when he returns to the United States.

"I don't think the American people would be at all satisfied with a discussion in only broad terms," said Dickinson, who is supporting Sen. Robert A. Taft of Ohio for top place on the Republican ticket.

Sen. Lodge of Massachusetts, heading the campaign to win the GOP nomination for Eisenhower, said last night that when the general returns from Europe about June 1 "he will be free to discuss the issues, and he will do exactly that."

In a speech at Marblehead, Mass., Lodge added: "He will be completely frank with the American people, as he was when he was president of Columbia University. He will not hook a private car on the back of a train for a whistle-stop tour. He will be himself, remain in character, do things in his regular way."

Dickinson recently urged Lodge to obtain Eisenhower's "unequivocal" views on such matters as the Taft-Hartley Labor Law, a compulsory Fair Employment Practices Commission and Truman administration foreign policy.

Lodge replied at the time it was "pleasure to expect a man who is in a military headquarters with a staff of political advisers give off-hand answers to trick questions."

Taft supporters also are circulating petitions addressed to Eisenhower, demanding that he state his position on 21 matters they describe as issues.

Eisenhower's resignation as European defense commander will become effective June 1, when he will go on inactive status.

Father of Hope Man Dies in L. R.

H. E. Thomas, father of Charles O. Thomas of Hope, died early today at his home in Little Rock.

He is survived by two other sons, George and Thomas of Sildon, Arabia and a daughter, Mrs. C. S. Watts of Little Rock. Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

Historic Ruling Awaited in Steel Industry

Washington, April 26 (AP) — The government and the steel industry awaited in tense expectancy today a period of waiting for an historic court decision on the legality of President Truman's seizure of the nation's steel mills.

After listening to arguments by lawyers of both sides in a crowded courtroom yesterday, federal District Judge David A. Pine said he would "take the case under submission and give it my attention to the exclusion of all other court business."

The 60-year-old jurist did not say when he might render his decision but legal experts said it may not be announced until Monday or later.

The soft-spoken judge had plenty of reading material for the week-end—hundreds of pages of legal briefs filed by the government and six steel companies and the transcript of almost two full days of testimony, filled with legal footnotes.

Meanwhile, the government authorized a \$3 a ton average price rise for steel, effective May 1. But it won't take effect until individual steel companies apply for it or the government decrees it in force.

Price Stabilizer Ellis Arnall said \$3 was all the steel companies were entitled to under present policy. The industry has estimated its costs would be boosted \$12 a ton if government-recommended wage losses were put into effect.

The \$3 increase, on top of the current average steel price of \$10 a ton, was granted under the Emergency Amendment to the Controls Law. That allows producers to raise prices enough to offset any cost increases between the start of the Korean War and last July 26.

Prison Riot Brings Storm of Criticism

Jackson, Mich., April 26 (AP) — A swirling storm of criticism surged back and forth today over handling of the Southern Michigan Prison riot.

A series of investigations resulted from the four-day mutiny which cost the life of one prisoner, wounded nearly a score on inmates and guards and left some two million dollars damage in its wake.

Gov. G. Mennen Williams, who approved the 11-point agreement on prison reforms demanded by 170-odd convict rebels, sharply reprimanded the young psychologist who negotiated the surrender terms.

Williams acted as various state officials demanded a shakeup in top prison personnel, mentioned a possible grand jury probe, and promised that the mutineers would be prosecuted for any crimes committed in connection with the riot.

Williams ordered an official reprimand given to Dr. Vernon Fox, assistant deputy warden and chief prison psychologist who had broadcast his congratulations to the rebel leaders.

The 36-year-old Fox, popular with many of the huge prison's 6,500 inmates, spoke over the prison loud-speaker system Thursday just before the mutineers surrendered from a cold block 15 and freed their eight hostage guards.

Williams termed Fox's message "highly improper."

Fox had praised convict chief Earl Ward as a "natural leader" and said he and his fellows were "to be congratulated on the good faith with which they have bargained."

New Rotarians Have Program

New members of the Rotary Club discussed various phases of their life at yesterday's regular meeting. They were: Buster Barwick, Lamar Cox, Oliver Adams, Paul Dearth, H. A. Martin and Ralph Rothman. Gene Arrington of Nashville was a guest of the club.

Heavy Damage in Accident Here

A truck driven by Harvey Holt and an auto driven by John Henry Kerr collided early last night at 5th and Spruce Streets resulting in heavy damage to both vehicles. Nobody was seriously hurt. City police investigated.

Red Due to Crest at Fulton Today

Red River at Fulton is expected to crest today at 26 feet, some four feet above flood stage. Little Rock reported Friday at White Cliffs at 26.8 feet, while Red crested at Index at 25 feet.



BRANDED—Marion Stafford, 20-year-old University of Houston coed, smiles prettily from a float advertising the University's Frontier Fiesta, which a Baptist church group has branded "indecent." Principal target of criticism was the "brief" can-can costumes worn by the coeds. (NEA Telephoto)

Ground Fire Bags Eight U. S. Planes

Scott, April 26 (AP) — Communist ground fire knocked down eight U. S. warplanes during the week-ended Friday, Far East Air Forces said today.

That number matched the toll of Red MIG-15 jets shot down in air combat by U. S. F-80 Sabre jets during the same period. One Sabre jet was lost in the air fighting.

In its weekly summary the Air Force said three other Allied planes failed to return for unknown reasons. One downed plane was Australian, the others American.

The Red toll was put at eight MIG-15s destroyed, two probably destroyed and eight damaged. The damaged planes included one of the seldom-seen "type 15" aircraft.

Additionally, U. N. warplanes destroyed one L-10 and two YAK-9s and damaged two YAKs in strafing attacks on Red airfields in North Korea. Both types are Russian built.

The U. S. Eighth Army, in its weekly summary, said its troops inflicted 1,832 casualties on Red ground forces April 15-21. The figure, lowest in recent weeks, included 870 killed, 917 wounded and 36 captured. In Washington the Korean War reached 1,000,000 April 18. That was an increase of 17,013 in two weeks.

Pickets Halt Publication of Newspapers

Rockford, Ill., April 26 (AP) — Publication of Rockford's two daily newspapers was halted yesterday as massed pickets prevented workers from entering the Rockford Consolidated Newspapers, Inc., building.

It was the first time the newspapers, the Morning Star and the afternoon Register-Republic, had failed to publish since a work stoppage started last March 24. The cause involves members of the AFL, International Typographical Union.

John Grimes, executive editor, said "about 30" pickets were stationed in front of the plant entrance last night. Earlier in the day a union spokesman said about 150 pickets had massed at entrances to the plant.

Grimes said the pickets had prevented all employees except four or five management representatives from entering the building. He said union members halted from entering the building included the pressmen, engravers, stereotypers, mailers and the CIO American Newspaper Guild.

A special standing committee on labor relations of the American Newspaper Publishing Association, reported on the strike of the ANPA convention in New York this week. It said:

"The Rockford issue is simply an ITU demand that publishers grant ITU control over use of outside teletypesetter taps. That demand is contrary to federal law. The Rockford publisher's offer to arbitrate was promptly rejected by the union."

University Women Open Conference

Hot Springs, April 26 (AP) — The Arkansas Division of the American Association of University Women opened its annual convention here today.

Taft Endorses States' Rights, Wins Delegates

Little Rock, April 26 (AP) — The endorsement of Sen. Robert A. Taft by the Republican presidential nomination appeared today to be full control of the Arkansas State GOP Convention as delegates prepared to choose four representatives to the national party.

A committee composed of Taft backers was named yesterday, nominating four delegates-at-large and their alternates to the Republican National Convention.

The Taft faction was in a fighting mood and their candidate, what he could to cheer them, in a speech to a host of the party faithful and curious Democrats here last night.

Making a bold bid for support in Democratic Dixie, Sen. Taft told the cheering, partisan crowd that the issue of the coming election is "liberty against Socialism." And he expressed his belief that states rights, a cause around which to rally in the South.

Taft spoke in the Joe T. Robinson Memorial Auditorium named for the late Arkansas senator, Democratic leader.

If the nominating committee offers any backers of Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower or other candidates to the convention as potential delegates it apparently will be an effort to prevent a fight on the convention floor. But even a concession on the part of the faction headed by the regulars — appears unlikely.

"If they (Eisenhower) want a fight, let's give it to them and clear the atmosphere," remarked Charles W. Ivey of Marion County, a member of the nominating committee. Nobody sensed, but two members previously had suggested that "maybe" ought to give the Eisenhower people a delegate or two to a fraction.

Names of the 20 delegates alternate nominations to be made by the committee will be made public until the convention votes on them.

The Eisenhower forces, headed by "Teff" Spook of Fayetteville, have conceded that the convention is pro-Taft, but they had promised a battle to obtain delegates for the GOP.

Then yesterday, Spack also conceded "party harmony" and went far as to say he was willing to accept a candidate for gubernatorial nomination.

"There has been considerable criticism within the Republican party of some of my early explanations Spack, who pulled 100 votes on the GOP ticket as Gov. Sid McMath in 1950, the highest vote total over a Republican candidate in any Democratic Arkansas.

Girl Scouts to Hold Annual Camp June 2-6

The local Girl Scout organization is planning its annual Camp to be held at Fairview Camp June 2-6 with Mrs. John non as director.

Approximately 100 Girl Scouts attended the camp for instruction in folk art, archery, camping, swimming and other activities. Session held daily at 9:30 a. m. to 4 p. m.

This year's director, Mrs. John non, has had much experience as a counselor, having served as Red Cross volunteer instructor at Camp, June 1, C. taught two years at Ark. and two years at A&M College.

Presbyterians Hear Rev. Williams

Rev. Glen M. Williams, Presbyterian minister, will preach in worship services last night at the First Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams are visiting Mrs. Williams, Mrs. and Mr. Williams.

Funeral Service for Week

Funeral services for Yarger, 24-year-old train-auto accident victim, will be held at Bethel AME Church.

Little

By Michael O'Malley and Ralph Lane

FLINT, ARE YOU TRYING TO TELL ME THAT MADAM TORGIO KILLED TUB?

I KNOW SHE DID, GROWLIE.

BUT HOW? THERE WERE NO FOOTPRINTS!

NEVERTHELESS, SHE'S THE MURDERER!

OKAY, FLINT, I'LL ARREST HER ON SUSPICION, BUT I'LL BE UP TO YOU TO SHOW HOW SHE DID IT!

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4-26

by Leslie Turner

ARE YOU ALL RIGHT, MAX? IF IT HADN'T BEEN FOR THAT NOSY LITTLE RUNT WANTING TO SEE THE PLANT, THIS WOULDN'T HAVE HAPPENED!

MY HEAD...IT... NOW I REMEMBER! THAT BLINDING CRASH! BUT WHERE'S TUBBS?

TUBBS?

YES... WASH TUBBS. YOU SEE I... I HAD A FEW DRINKS AT THE PLANT... AND HESITATED TO DRIVE HOME. SO TUBBS DROVE FOR ME...

I CAUTIONED HIM REPEATEDLY ABOUT DRIVING RECKLESSLY. THE LAST I RECALLED, HE PASSED A TRUCK ON A BLIND CURVE AND...

YEAH? THEN WHERE IS HE? HE WASN'T IN THE WRECKAGE!

SHADE WASH! NOT RECKLESSLY DRIVING!

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Edgar Martin

OH, PROF. DIGGINS! HAVE YOU HEARD ANYTHING MORE ABOUT JOHN DALE?

JOHN DALE? NEVER HEARD OF HIM! WHO IS HE?

OOH, WAIT! BLESS MY SOUL "JOHN DALE! OF COURSE, OF COURSE!"

HE'S THE FELLOW WHO WATCHES YOU EVERY MINUTE IN CLASS! MY WORD! YOU MEAN, HE STILL HASN'T "

NO, SIR! SLUGGISH! ISN'T IT?

4-26

By V. T. Hamlin

PANEL 1:

BUGS: THAT DOES IT, DOC... HAND OVER TWO BUCKS AND A HALF!

DOC: BUGGY! ZZZ

SIGN: BUGS'S TATTOOS LEAVE A GOOD IMPRESSION

TATTOO: MARTY

PANEL 2:

DOC: LEMME SEE, TWO-FIFTY OULTA. TEEN HAMM!

BUGS: MARY

PANEL 3:

BUGS: HEY, WHAT'S D'IDEA? YA SAID YA WAS FINISHED!

DOC: UNLAY, DOC, THIS WON'T TAKE A MINUTE!

BUGS: BUGGY! ZZZ

TATTOO: MARTY

PANEL 4:

BUGS: YA GOT SEVEN-FIFTY CHANGE COMIN'!

DING!!!

MARTY	10.00
-2.50	
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By V. T. HAMLIN

YOU WOULDN'T MARRY A GUY LESSN HE COULD BEAT YOUR EARS OFF?

NOPE! HOW COULD I LOVE, HONOR AN' OBEY ANYONE WHO COULDN'T PUSH ME AROUND ONCE IN A WHILE?

UMH! THEN I GUESS YOU'RE GONNA HAFTA START PULLIN' YOUR PUNCHES

THAT'S SUMPIN I NEVER LEARNED!

OH, I CAN TEACH YOU...

LOOK! LIKE SO... YOU CROSS ONE OVER ...

...THEN COUNTER WITH A CHOP...

CRASH!

OH NO

A-26

By Russ Winterbath

Los Angeles

Panel 1: A girl with an umbrella asks a boy for a match. Panel 2: The boy offers her a match. Panel 3: The boy lights the match. Panel 4: The girl runs away screaming.

HORIZONTAL

1 Auto body type

5 Convertible

11 Analyzes a sentence

13 Expunger

14 Ascended

15 Motorists' lodging places

16 Right side page (ab.)

17 Where soldier mail goes

19 Sainte (ab.)

20 Autos get their _____ from a motor

24 Presept

27 Undulation

30 Returns

32 Willows

34 Madden

35 Genus of marine worms

36 Doctrines

38 Succinct

39 Guileless

41 Salt

44 Lixivium

45 Follower

46 Wrinkle

51 Heater

54 Pineapple

55 Tritter

56 Hungarian wine

57 Prayer endings

VERTICAL

1 Mast

2 Auricles

3 Fall in drops

4 Onager

5 Born

6 Blood mon

7 Cereal grain

8 A motorist _____ gasoline and oil in his vehicle

9 Hilde

10 Gaelic

12 Filipp

13 Strong feeling

18 Through

20 Tropical lizard

21 Coalescence

22 Nothing _____ a motorist like a flat tire

23 Steeples

24 Exist

25 This causes a motorist grief if in a fender

26 Measure of land

28 Sidelong look

29 Goddness of discord

31 Colonizes

33 Compass point

37 Crafty

40 Lampreys

41 Begone!

42 Italian river

43 This causes a flat tire

45 Small island

46 Year between 12 and 20

47 Strays

49 Literary bits

50 Utter

52 Greek letter

53 Old Dutch liquid measur

By Dick Turner

[illegible]

Background

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G. S. Gardner

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"She's pretty smart for her age—she eats lollipops all day long, but she only buys them once an afternoon."

With Major Hoople

EGAD, TWIGGS! I'VE SOLD MY TUCKAWAY TIE, AND NOW I'M OFF TO MRS. DEPLASTER'S TO PAY FOR THOSE STAMPS I CASHED! --- CARE TO TAG ALONG? --- SHE MAY GO BERSERK BEFORE I CAN RATTLE OFF MY MESSAGE!

I'D PREFER A JOB PAINTING TONSILS IN THE ZOO, MAJOR! BUT I'LL ACT AS REAR GUARD AND IDENTIFY THE VICTIM FOR THE STRETCHER BEARERS!

HOW ABOUT AN EXPRESS CAR? 4-26

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By Hershberger

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BRIGGS

Capo 19
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"The wife sent the dog to me
with skin ointment."

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THE WOLVES AND THE FRIENDS by Blossie

WHERE'S THE TREASURE SPOOKS WENT? AFTER ALL!

YEAH! COME ON, LET'S GET BACK THERE!

ARE YOU SURE THOSE ARE THINGS ARE GONE?

JUST AS THE BOYS WERE ABOUT TO OPEN THEIR TREASURE, TWO GHOSTLY FIGURES SCARED THEM AWAY!

SO THAT'S IT! A COUPLE OF WOLVES IN SWEET CLOTHING!

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Political Announcements

The Star is authorized to announce that the following are candidates for public office subject to the action of the Democratic primary elections:

For Tax Assessor

CRIT STUART

For Circuit Clerk

GARRETT WILLIS

S. A. (Speedy) HUTSON

For Representative

TALBOT FELD JR.

For County Judge

CLAUDE H. BUTTON

For Sheriff

C. COOK

For Alderman Ward 1

JOE BRITT

R. C. (Bob) DANIELS

For Alderman Ward 2

FRED JOHNSON

DWIGHT RIDGILL

For Alderman Ward 3

JOE BRITT

R. C. (Bob) DANIELS

For Alderman Ward 4

FRED JOHNSON

DWIGHT RIDGILL

For Alderman Ward 5

JOE BRITT

R. C. (Bob) DANIELS

For Alderman Ward 6

FRED JOHNSON

DWIGHT RIDGILL

For Alderman Ward 7

JOE BRITT

R. C. (Bob) DANIELS

For Alderman Ward 8

FRED JOHNSON

DWIGHT RIDGILL

For Alderman Ward 9

JOE BRITT

R. C. (Bob) DANIELS

For Alderman Ward 10

FRED JOHNSON

DWIGHT RIDGILL

For Alderman Ward 11

JOE BRITT

R. C. (Bob) DANIELS

For Alderman Ward 12

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For Alderman Ward 30

FRED JOHNSON

DWIGHT RIDGILL

Aggies Defeat Pork Golfers

Fayetteville, April 26 (AP) — The Oklahoma Aggies defeated the University of Arkansas golf team 2-1 1/2 to 2 1/2, here yesterday.

In the first foursome, Mike Clifford of Arkansas trimmed George Bigham of the Aggies, 2 and 1, and Bob Goetz of the Aggies whipped Tom Runey of Arkansas, 5 and 4.

Goetz and Bigham teamed to beat Clifford and Runey, 5 and 4.

E. B. Gee of Arkansas defeated Don Nichols of A. & M. 2 and 1.

In the second foursome, and Aggie Todd Flasher downed Razorback Tom Billingsley, 2 up. The team match was halved.

Goetz won medalist with a par 70.

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